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## **MEMO ENDORSED**

The Honorable Sidney H. Stein Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse 500 Pearl St. New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: 21-CR-530 (SHS) United States v. Adrian Alexander

Dear Judge Stein:

Defendant Adrian Alexander respectfully submits this letter to request that his sentencing, currently scheduled for November 30, 2022, at 4:30 p.m., be adjourned to a date and time convenient for the Court in late January 2023.

On September 30, 2022, Mr. Alexander was interviewed by the U.S. Probation Department as part of the preparation of his presentence report (the "PSR"). We learned from the assigned probation officer that the final version of Mr. Alexander's PSR will be submitted to the Court and parties by November 24, 2022 — a week prior to Mr. Alexander's current sentencing date.

As we indicated at Mr. Alexander's change of plea on August 30, 2022, Mr. Alexander intends to provide the Court with a comprehensive sentencing memorandum describing Mr. Alexander's life and his unfortunate involvement in this complex case. Mr. Alexander is scheduled to submit his sentencing memorandum by November 9, 2022 (three weeks prior to the date of his sentencing). As a result, Mr. Alexander is currently scheduled to submit his sentencing memorandum a little over two weeks *before* the final PSR is issued, and will be sentenced only a week after receiving the final PSR. Mr. Alexander respectfully submits that he will be at a distinct disadvantage in making his sentencing presentation to the Court if he must submit his sentencing memorandum without having had sufficient time to review and analyze the contents of the PSR.

We have discussed these timing issues with government counsel. They have advised that they have no objection to adjourning Mr. Alexander's sentencing to late January 2023, so that both sides have sufficient time to review and incorporate the presentence report in preparation for their respective sentencing recommendations.

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Accordingly, Mr. Alexander respectfully requests that his sentencing be adjourned to a date convenient to the Court in late January 2023.

Sincerely,

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The sentencing is adjourned to January 25, 2023, at 2:30 p.m. The defense sentencing submission is due on or before January 4, the government submission is due on or before January 11.

Dated: New York, New York October 14, 2022

SO ORDERED

SIDNEY H. STEIN U.S.D.J.